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**Subject:** FYI - BDCP press conference info, and today's articles so far

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SACRAMENTO – Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. will be joined by Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar and Assistant Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) for the National Marine Fisheries Service Eric Schwaab in Sacramento tomorrow to announce a proposed path forward for the Bay Delta Conservation Plan and California's water future.

When: Tomorrow, Wednesday, July 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.

Where: Natural Resources Agency Building, Room 1131, 1416 Ninth Street, Sacramento, CA 95814

**\*\*NOTE:** This event is open to credentialed media only. State and federal officials will be available immediately following the news conference to provide a more detailed briefing on the proposal for media.

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[California, fed officials to reveal Delta water tunnel plans](#)

[Gosia Wozniacka and Hannah Dreier, Associated Press](#)

Gov. Jerry Brown and U.S. Interior Secretary Ken Salazar are set to announce Wednesday plans to build a massive twin tunnel system to carry water from the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Delta to farmland and cities.

[Brown to Unveil California Water Project for 25 Million](#)

[Michael B. Marois, Bloomberg News](#)

Governor Jerry Brown will unveil plans to divert abundant Northern California water to thirsty Southern California for 25 million people and the farms that grow half of the U.S.'s fresh produce.

[WATER: Gov. Brown, feds, to announce California delta water deal](#)

[Bradley J. Fikes, North County Times](#)

Gov. Jerry Brown and federal officials are expected to announce Wednesday a controversial fix for

California's entangled water and environmental demands in the Sacramento River Delta/San Francisco Bay region.

#### Win-Win: How Farmers Benefit from the Drought

Dan Walters: Gov. Jerry Brown once again faces water fight

Dan Walters, Sacramento Bee

Jerry Brown, preoccupied with campaigns for other offices, only occasionally engaged in governing California during his first stint as its chief executive 30-plus years ago.

#### Other View: Divvying up California's water

Bakersfield Californian

The lush San Joaquin Valley is dotted with orange groves, grape vines and dairy farms. It runs west from the Sierra foothills. This region was planted and began to bloom on the strength of snowmelt and a high water table in the sponge-like valley floor, but production exploded and farmers grew wealthy only with the construction by the federal government during the Depression of the dams, pumps and canals of the Central Valley Water Project.

#### The return of the peripheral canal

San Francisco Chronicle

Gov. Jerry Brown and U.S. Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar will announce plans Wednesday for the last piece of the California water system begun by Brown's father, Gov. Pat Brown. What the governor's office is calling the "path forward on California water" was known three decades ago to Californians as the peripheral canal.

#### Sacramento County opposes Delta plan

Sacramento Business Journal

The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors voted Tuesday to unanimously oppose the state's proposed draft Bay Delta Conservation Plan, a plan largely focused on building a \$13 billion canal or tunnel to move water around the Delta to Central and Southern California.